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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yoichiro IRITANI et al.

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FOR:

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment after allowance with marked-up copy in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance, Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181

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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

: GROUP ART UNIT: 3744

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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SIR:

The "Statement of Reasons for Allowance" included at page 2 of the Notice of Allowability dated December 6, 2002, characterizes the invention in terms of independent Claim 1 but makes no mention of independent Claim 4. Therefore, the Statement mischaracterized the invention in unduly narrow terms inconsistent with the actual allowed claim language. Accordingly, an expanded Statement of Reasons for Allowance consistent with the actual language of both Claims 1 and 4 is in order and is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon

- Dep. Acct. Order Form
- Amendment Cover Letter
- Amendment After Allowance with marked-up copy
- Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.181
- Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance

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